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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

Applicant in the above-identified application hereby petitions for a three (3)-month extension of time to and including March 9, 2006 for responding to the Office Action mailed September 9, 2005. A response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

- [X] A check in the amount of \$900 is enclosed herewith, \$120 being previously paid for a one month extension.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Billing No. 209943.0003) as noted below. A duplicate copy is enclosed.
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